



Certified Manifest Software Products List

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Manifest Certified Software Developers List

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Introduction

What is MAC Gold?

The MAC (Manifest Analysis and Certification) Gold Certification program is a process designed in cooperation with the mailing industry to evaluate manifest systems developed by the vending industry and to determine the systems' compliance with the manifesting standards set forth in the current *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) and Publication 401: *Guide to Manifest Mailing*. MAC Gold evaluates the ability of the manifest system (scales, printers, scanners and software) to produce accurate postage and fees as well as quality documentation. The scope of MAC Gold is focused on the manifest system's ability to correctly process First-Class Mail, Priority Mail, Parcel Post (all single-piece rate), and Confirmation special services. Developers using MAC Gold will be pre-certified to use Delivery and or Signature Confirmation after the appropriate forms are submitted (i.e. Form 1357 and application). MAC Gold is a division of the MAC program currently administered by the National Customer Support Center (NCSC). When a system is approved by the NCSC under MAC Gold, an MMS (Manifest Mailing System) needs no further approval as long as the system is installed and operated according to the developer's instructions.

There are many benefits to the MAC Gold program:

- Customers experience quick, easy start-ups
- Developers can expand customers mailing with the USPS
- Systems are uniform and accurate
- Customers are not required to maintain quality control documentation
- USPS administrative costs are reduced

Since this is a new approach to manifesting, the MAC Gold procedures are different from the typical MMS procedures outlined in the Publication 401: *Guide to the Manifest Mailing System*. MAC Gold has different approval procedures, mailer quality control requirements, and postal acceptance procedures. This certification program is only available to manifest system developers. Participation in the program is strictly voluntary. Although this program evaluates and validates manifesting products manufactured by developers, MAC Gold does not guarantee acceptance of mail prepared using MAC Gold-certified hardware/software platforms; however, MAC Gold does provide national approval of computer-generated facsimiles of USPS postage statements, standardized documentation, and other manifest documentation.

What is MAC?

The United States Postal Service, in cooperation with the mailing industry, has developed a process of evaluating manifesting software known as Manifest Analysis and Certification (MAC) certification. The process is available only to software and hardware manufacturers who actually develop manifest software or manufacture manifesting equipment either for retail or for internal use. MAC provides a common platform to measure the quality of manifest products and determines their accuracy in accordance with requirements set forth in the *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM). The purpose of MAC is to improve the accuracy of manifested mailings, thereby improving the flow of your mail.

The MAC Certified Developers List contains products that have passed the rigorous testing procedures of the MAC program. The list is grouped by type of developer and is organized alphabetically by company name. Each product's listing includes sales contact information and indicates the certified manifest categories, options supported, hardware, software platforms, and price range. Please keep in mind that the product information is for quick reference purposes only; contact the developer directly for specifics concerning their product.

Developer Categories

Software Developer for Retail

Companies whose products have successfully completed the certification process and are developed for use/purchase by the general mailing public.

In-House/Proprietary Use

Companies that have successfully completed the certification process and manifest their own mailings.

Company Name: WINDOW BOOK INC

Product Name: POSTAL PACKAGE PARTNER GOLD

Product Version: 2.07.02.A Gold

Level of Certification: MAC Gold

Date Certified: 6/29/01

Cycle: B

Price: Under \$500

Sales Contact: JEFF PEOPLES

Address: 300 FRANKLIN ST

City: CAMBRIDGE

State: MA **ZIP** 02139-3781

Phone: (800) 370-2410 1320

Fax: (617) 354-3961

e-mail: sales@windowbook.com

Web address: www.postalpackagepartner.com

Technical Contact: LLOYD MOSS

Technical Phone: (617) 441-3500

Domestic Mail Classes *Single-Piece*

- ☒ First-Class Mail
- ☒ Priority Mail
- ☒ Priority Mail Flat Rate
- ☒ Parcel Post - Intra BMC (Machinable/Nonmachinable)
- ☒ Parcel Post - Inter BMC (Machinable/Nonmachinable)
- ☐ Parcel Select - DBMC Single Entry (Machinable/Nonmachinable)
- ☐ Parcel Select - DBMC Multiple Entry (Machinable/Nonmachinable)
- ☐ Bound Printed Matter
- ☐ Media Mail
- ☐ Library Mail

Domestic Special Service

- ☐ Certified Mail
- ☐ Collect on Delivery (COD)
- ☒ Delivery Confirmation
- ☐ Insured Mail
- ☐ Parcel Airlift (PAL)
- ☐ Registered Mail
- ☐ Restricted Delivery
- ☐ Return Receipt
- ☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise
- ☒ Signature Confirmation
- ☐ Special Handling

International Mail Classes

- ☐ Letter/Letter-post
- ☐ Parcel Post
- ☐ M-Bags - Air
- ☐ M-Bags - Economy
- ☐ M-Bags - Books/Sheet Music

International Special Services

- ☐ Insured Mail
- ☐ Recorded Delivery
- ☐ Registered Mail
- ☐ Restricted Delivery
- ☐ Return Receipt

Options Supported

- ☒ MAC Gold Manifest Report
- ☒ MAC Gold Manifest Mailing System Agreement
- ☒ MAC Gold Manifest Mailing System Application
- ☐ Mixed Classes Manifest Report
- ☐ Single Class Manifest Report *for above classes supported
- ☐ Combined Single Classes Manifest and Form 3877
- ☐ Combined Mixed Classes Manifest and Form 3877
- ☐ Combined Mixed Classes Domestic/ International Manifest
- ☐ Combined Mixed Domestic/ International Manifest and Form 3877
- ☐ Form 3877 Mixed Special Services
- ☐ Manifest Summary
- ☐ Job Set Up/Parameter Report
- ☒ Permit Imprint Labels
- ☒ Standard Shipping Label
- ☐ Intergrated Barcode
- ☒ Parcel Barcode Discount
- ☒ Balloon Rate
- ☒ Oversized Rate

Facsimiles

- ☒ PS Form 1357
- ☒ PS Form 3540-S
- ☒ PS Form 3600-R
- ☒ PS Form 3600-PM
- ☒ PS Form 3605-PR
- ☐ PS Form 3605-BR
- ☐ PS Form 3608-R
- ☐ PS Form 3605-SR
- ☐ PS Form 3605-PRSR
- ☐ PS Form 8125
- ☐ PS Form 3660-R
- ☐ PS Form 3651-LP
- ☐ PS Form 3651-PP

Barcode Format

- ☐ USS 3 of 9
- ☐ USS I 2 of 5
- ☐ USS 128
- ☒ UCC/EAN 128

Confirmation Transmission Type

- ☐ EDI
- ☒ Internet
- ☐ Dial Up

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Company Name: WINDOW BOOK INC

Product Name: POSTAL PACKAGE PARTNER GOLD

Product Version: 2.07.02.A Gold

Equipment Supported

Hardware Platforms Supported

- ☒ PC ☐ Mid-Range
☐ Macintosh ☐ Mainframe

Software Platforms Supported

- ☒ Window s 95 ☒ Window s 2000 ☐ Unix ☐ Web-Based
☒ Window s 98 ☒ Window NT ☐ Linux

Scales

- ☐ Detecto AS 350 D ☐ NCI Weight-Tronix 3820 ☒ NCI Weigh-Tronix 7623 ☐ Toledo PS-60
☐ Detecto AS 400 D ☐ NCI Weight-Tronix 3825 ☐ NCI Weigh-Tronix 7680 ☐ Toledo 8213
☐ Detecto AS 410 D ☐ NCI Weight-Tronix 3835 ☐ NCI Weigh-Tronix 7820 ☐ Transcell SP - 100 Class III
☒ Fairbanks ACC1400 ☒ NCI Weigh-Tronix 7010N ☐ NCI Weigh-Tronix 7829
☐ NCI Weight-Tronix 3810 ☒ NCI Weigh-Tronix 7610 ☐ NCI Weigh-Tronix 7880
☐ NCI Weight-Tronix 3815 ☒ NCI Weigh-Tronix 7620 ☐ Pennsylvania 7200

Label Printers*

- ☒ Eltron LP-2742 ☐ I-Class DataMax ☐ Laser Printer ☐ Strip ☐ Zebra 140
☐ Eltron 2400 Series ☐ Intermec E4 ☐ Monarch 9830 ☐ Zebra 105 ☐ Zebra Z4000

Scanners* *

- ☐ Keyboard ☒ Symbol ☒ PSC Quickscan ☐ Telxon ☐ Metrologic ☐ rs232

Special Features**

Software

- ☐ Automated Special Services Forms Printing
☐ Automated Delivery Confirmation Tests
☒ Automated USPS Applications
☒ Tutorials/Help Screens and User's Guide
☒ e-mail Notification
☒ Free Demo Period
☒ Internet Updates
☒ Private Insurance Options

Import/Export**

- ☒ ASCII Delimited
☐ ASCII Fixed Length
☒ Access
☒ FoxPro
☒ dbase
☐ Text
☐ MS SQL
☒ Paradox
☐ Oracle
☒ Custom Integration Available

Accounting, Reporting and Other**

- ☒ Departmental/Client Charge Back ☒ Delivery Performance Analysis
☐ Invoice ☐ Flag/Rate Residential Deliveries
☒ Shipping History Analysis ☐ Multi-Carrier Rate Shopping
☒ Express Mail Manifesting

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Product Name: VSAMS OUTLOOK

Product Version: 8.50.01.C

Level of Certification: MAC

Date Certified: 7/27/01

Cycle: C

Price: Over \$5000

Sales Contact: JEANETTE PELPHREY

Address: 4420 TULLER RD

City: DUBLIN

State: OH **ZIP** 43017-5033

Phone: (614) 766-6622 1

Fax: (614) 766-0065

e-mail: sales@scandata.com

Web address: www.scandata.com

Technical Contact: GEORGE BLUST

Technical Phone: (614) 766-6622

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☒ Internet Updates
☒ Private Insurance Options

Import/Export**

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☒ ASCII Fixed Length
☒ Access
☒ FoxPro
☒ dbase
☒ Text
☒ MS SQL
☒ Paradox
☒ Oracle
☒ Custom Integration Available

Accounting, Reporting and Other**

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